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A Fifth Person Arrested—One of the Original Prisoners Released, and the Others Required to Appear Before the Grand Jury.

Capt. Frederick T. Farrier of the First Precinct police of Jersey City, Patrolman James Hopkins, Thomas Trotter, the judge of election in the Third Election Precinct of the First District, and William Reen, the inspector in the First Election Precinct of the same district, who were arrested on Wednesday night on a charge of conspiring to defraud Police Commissioner John S. Smith by stuffing ballot boxes in favor of his opponent at the charter election on Tuesday.

The room was thronged with politicians. The defendants pleaded not guilty.

Commissioner Smith testified that at about 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning he went to the First Precinct police station and entered the Captain's office, where he found Policeman Hopkins, who is a day patrolman, asleep on a cot in the rear of the room. The ballot boxes were on the table and the keys were hanging and began to examine them. Smith said he found the second contained a bunch of Republican tickets, with the name of Jas. F. Gorman on them. He said he saw the tickets and substituted for that of Mr. Clarke, the Democratic candidate. Smith said for the Chief of Police to say that he was going to breakfast. He returned in five minutes. About ten minutes later Captain Hopkins came in and told him that he had one to touch the boxes until the Chief arrived. He found in another box fifty-two Democratic tickets, with the name of Jas. F. Gorman on them, and gave them to the Chief. He said he gave to Police Commissioner, William H. Ver-

It was passed over that of Commissioner Smith. The first precinct was the First Precinct, and the second box for the First Precinct was the box for the First Precinct. Sargeant Marinus, who was on duty in the police station from 6 o'clock on the evening of the election, said that the Captain of the First Precinct was the Captain of the First Precinct. Farrier was in his private office, and the boxes were stored, from the time that the boxes were sent to the desk until about 11 o'clock on the evening of the election. He said that he did not see any of the boxes sent in and out of the precinct, and that he did not see any of the boxes sent in and out of the precinct. Mr. William H. Smith, who was the opponent of the First Precinct, said that the boxes were sent in and out of the precinct, and that he did not see any of the boxes sent in and out of the precinct. It had been currently rumored that the election of the First Precinct had been done while the boxes were in the precinct, and that the boxes were sent in and out of the precinct. By City Marshal Long said that the boxes which had been sent to the First Precinct were not among the lot that had been sent to the precinct.

Printed the Democratic tickets from the Argus. The tickets were printed from the office, were printed between 10 and 12 o'clock on Monday night. A young man named Michael O'Mara went down to the office of the company and got the tickets. He took the tickets to the office where they were to be used in the Third Precinct. He seemed very anxious to get the tickets, and to oblige him Holly left a bunch of them for him to take. He took them to the office of the company, which is kept by James J. Gannon, and the Democratic candidate for Alderman, and whose masters were found on the Republican ticket. The tickets were printed from the office of the company, and the tickets were printed from the office of the company, and the tickets were printed from the office of the company.

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Mrs. Christianity's Story.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The examination in behalf of Mrs. Christianity in the divorce suit brought against her by ex-Senator Christianity was continued this morning by the testimony of the mother of Mrs. Christianity, who was the only witness called. She testified that on the 24th and 25th of December Mrs. Christianity was a member of her household, and that her husband, son, and daughter were also present. She testified that on the 24th and 25th of December, Mrs. Christianity was quite ill on Christmas Day, and spent most of the time on the 24th in bed, and that she was unable to leave the state of health to go out, and was not dressed for the day. She testified that on the 25th of December, the 24th, was received by Mrs. Christianity in the afternoon, and that she was not dressed for the day. On Christmas evening he called, came between 7 and 8 o'clock, and remained until 10 o'clock. The family were all present. This closed the testimony for the day, and the case will be called for on the 26th. The house on Christmas Day will be called to prove that Mrs. Christianity was at home, and could not have been elsewhere.

Canal Tolls in Canada.

MONTREAL, April 14.—Suggestions have been made by the Board of Trade and the Harbor Board here to the Dominion Government in regard to canal tolls, that the Government should abolish all tolls on merchandise on the Welland Canal which have passed

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The board of managers of the Massachusetts state was yesterday the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Aaron J. Vanderpool; Vice President, Augustus Schuch; Secretary and Treasurer, Henry Wilder Allen; House Committee, Henry B. Cox, Austin Flint, Jr., and F. H. Hauge.

was found in the keys by the constable. Hook and his partner, Brightie, left him yesterday. The man wore a dark, single-breasted frock coat, a pair of dark trousers, a pair of black, single-breasted pants and a pair of black shoes. These were the only items of clothing he had on his person. He was about 35 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches tall, 140 pounds, with dark hair and dark eyes. He was a fair complexioned man, with a high forehead, a straight nose, and a thin mustache. He was a fair complexioned man, with a high forehead, a straight nose, and a thin mustache. He was a fair complexioned man, with a high forehead, a straight nose, and a thin mustache.

the officers yesterday. Mrs. James Brown, First Directress; Mrs. Jacob Le Roy, Second Directress; Mrs. G. G. Howland, Third Directress; Mrs. Theodore Weston, Recording Secretary; Mrs. J. H. Dickinson, Corresponding Secretary; and Mrs. J. W. Wheeler, Treasurer.

The body of Hugh H. Coniskey, keeper of a liquor saloon at 455 West Forty-sixth street, who disappeared in the Manhattan to Long Island Railroad for \$20,000 for injuries suffered in the Furman bridge disaster in September, 1878, the jury in the Queens County Court of Oyer and Terminer gave the plaintiff a verdict for \$7,000. On a previous trial the plaintiff got a verdict for \$7,500.

March 3, was found yesterday in the North River off Thirty-eighth street. His gold watch and chain and 60 cents in money were found on the body. It is said that he had \$200 about him when he disappeared, but Carl Kililea has been unable to get any evidence of foul play.

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